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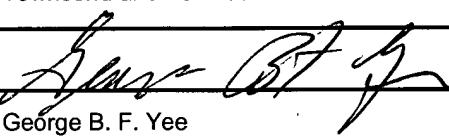
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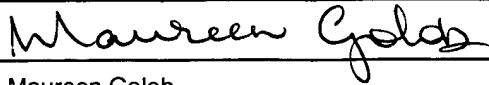
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In re application of:

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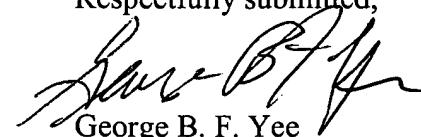
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Sirs:

Upon reviewing the Notice of Allowance mailed October 18, 2006, it was noted that the form PTOL-37 incorrectly identified the allowable claims to be 12, apparently a typographical error. As the examiner correctly notes on page 2, the allowed claims are 1-12. The undersigned respectfully requests any corrective action that may be required.

Respectfully submitted,



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